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COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT.

Top Sheet No. 3445

LOCALITY:

West Coast Prince of  
Wales Island.

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Descriptive Report

to accompany Topographic Sheet # ~~3445~~ 3445

of

KLAWAK INLET

W. Coast Prince of Wales Id.

S.E. Alaska.

Descriptive report to accompany Topographic sheet No.4 of Klawak Inlet, West coast Prince of Wales Id.S.E.Alaska, on a 1:10 000 scale, with triangulation control.

The Coast varies from shingle to rocky beach with boulders, and steep-to shores. The bay into which Klawak Creek empties has muddy and grassy shores. This section is very heavily wooded with Fir and Spruce, the trees growing down to the H.W. line. At various places there is a very light fringe of grass between the woods and water.

On the Eastern shore the land rises at once to a height of about 750 ft. and keeps about the same elevation all along that shore. The island forming the Western shore, is for the most part low, with the exception of the single peak shown of an elevation of 740 ft. which has a very distinctive appearance, especially from the South, from which direction it is conical.

On the point on which O Bur is located, is a cemetery, the graves and stones in which are very noticeable from the South. Station Trap is located on a fish trap, while O Old and O Pile are on old piles which were driven for old fish traps. Stations Bil and Pig are the spindles at the entrance to Klawak harbor, the former being a white or unpainted spindle on the North side of entrance and the latter a red spindle on the Southern shore. These spindles mark the reefs at the entrance which cover at H.W. Station Pin which is small house over Indian grave on small island is very prominent from the South.

There are no important currents in this Inlet.

Klawak Creek, entering at head of bay to N.E. of cannery, is considered one of the best trout streams in S.E. Alaska. A good trail runs up West side of creek for about two miles to a lake on which is located a Salmon Hatchery.

The pass around eastern end of Klawak Id. dries at about three quarters tide, but at H.W. is a good small boat passage.

Fresh water may be obtained at the cannery on N. shore of Klawak Id.

The elevations on this sheet are the heights of the tree tops, and the contours are of the surface of the ground, the elevation of the trees being considered to be one hundred feet.

Respectfully,

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Approved

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List of DMS and DPS

for

Topographic Sheet #X 3445

of

KLAWAK INLET

W.Coast Prince of Wales Id.

S.E.Alaska.

Sta.	Lat.	Long.	
Ban ✓	55 32 623 1232	133 08 50 1002	Not recoverable
Big ✓	30 1188 668	07 952 101	" "
Bil ✓	33 595 1261	06 60 992	Spindle, recoverable
Box ✓	33 218 1640	07 1000 52	Not recoverable.
But ✓	34 1458 398	07 164 888	" "
Bur ✓	33 1407 449	06 345 707	" "
Gen ✓	33 1003 853	05 903 149	House, recoverable.
Con ✓	34 1488 1468	07 00 1856	Not recoverable.
Cor ✓	32 1842 14	06 241 811	W. corner of dock. Recoverable.
Cro ✓	33 105 1751	05 798 254	Cross on church. Recoverable.
Ded ✓	32 1825 31	05 261 781	Not recoverable.
End ✓	29 --- 355	08 303 751	" "
Gras ✓	32 1316 540	05 536 516	Center small Id. Recoverable.
Gun ✓	34 141 1715	06 602 449	Not recoverable.
Hit ✓	32 1654 202	05 836 216	Outer rock on point. Recoverable.
Ho ✓	31 1660 196	06 547 506	Center of front of southern house, recoverable.
Isle ✓	33 905 951	06 232 820	Hgst. part small Id. Recoverable.
Log ✓	33 529 1327	06 420 532	Not recoverable.
Lo ✓	32 1126 730	06 77 975	" "

Sta.	Lat.	Long.	
Mat ✓	55 34 822 1034	133° 07' 57 994	Not recoverable.
Mid ✓	32 1744 112	05 1039 13	Center small Id. Recoverable.
No ✓	34 413 1443	07 828 225	Not recoverable.
Old ✓	31 1193 663	06 1026 26	" "
Pin ✓	32 770 1086	06 381 671	Center square peaked roof of house on Id. Recoverable.
Pile ✓	32 1824 32	06 714 338	Not recoverable.
Pig ✓	33 667 1199	06 206 846	White spindle on port hand. Recoverable.
Pub ✓	33 58 1198	05 753 299	Center of front of public school. Recoverable.
Sam ✓	35 246 1610	07 29 1023	Not recoverable.
Sel ✓	32 1606 250	05 670 382	" "
Slid ✓	33 1661 195	06 862 190	" "
Stub /	32 771 1085	08 18 1034	" "
Top ✓	33 1210 646	07 49 1003	" "
Trim ✓	34 1529 327	07 766 286	" "
Tre ✓	32 1208 648	05 37 1015	" "
Tow ✓	32 1241 615	05 1006 46	" "
Trap ✓	32 1332 524	06 903 149	" "
Was ✓	32 390 1466	06 347 705	" "
Wit ✓	33 1186 670	05 929 123	W.W. stump on point. Recoverable.